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SUBJECT: Waste Area Group 7 Analysis of OU 7-10 Stage II Modifications Report - (EM-

ER-01-159)

Gentlemen:

This letter and the Waste Area Group 7 Analysis of OU 7-10 Stage II Modifications Report are provided in partial response to the agreement achieved on September 5, 2001, and confirmed in Assistant Secretary Roberson's letter of September 25, 2001, concerning Operable Unit (OU) 7-10 milestones. The reviewed report replaces the draft material forwarded to you on September 28, 2001.

As I let you know in my letter of September 28, 2001, Peter Dirkmaat will represent DOE on the team that will propose, by October 12, the critical few enforceable milestones for the revised Stage II. We await the nomination of your representatives so that discussions can begin early this week.

If you have questions or wish to discuss this analysis, please call me at 208-526-2497.

Sincerely,

Acting Manager

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RECORD NOTES:

- This letter was written to provide in partial response to the agreement achieved on September 5 and confirmed in Ms. Roberson's letter of September 25 concerning OU 7-10 milestones.
- 2. This letter was written by K. Hain (EMER), with concurrence by L. Green (EM) for signature by W. Bergholz (M).
- 3. This letter/memo closes OATS number N/A
- 4. The attached correspondence has no relation to the Naval Nuclear Propulsion Program.